



## **Regional Service Council Minutes Region # 17**

**Meeting Date:** January 16, 2015

**Meeting Location:** Memorial Hospital Southside Office

**Council Members Present:** Mendy Berry, Kim Donnelly, Nancy Rennie, Amy Tempel, Melissa Lueken

**Council Members Absent:** Susan Lesko, Judge William Weikert, Judge Lynne Ellis, Judge Jon Dartt, Lisa Smith, Darlene McBride, Cheryl Hillenburg, Sandra Bowman, David Galloway, Melisa Tye,

**Others In Attendance:** Kris Mann, Jonda Bowers, Bernadette Olmos, Barb Tilly, Kenneth Malapote, Shaynn Jones, Ashley Manship, Tatum Miller, Keith Patterson, Jessica Richardson, Micci Frye and Susan Ford

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| <b>Meeting Minutes</b> |
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**Meeting Called to Order at:** 8:32am

**Programs/Committee Report:**

**Community Partners:** Reports were emailed to parties of RSC. Community Partners reported that as of 12-31-14 there were 80 open cases, 95% have met at least 1 goal, at right now they are at 57.3% of the budget for the year.

**Regional Services Coordinator's Report:** Proposals are still being reviewed at the state level

**Regional Finance Manager:** Budget report was sent out to all parties of the board.

**Regional Foster Care Specialist:** The group was informed that the Foster Care Specialists are fully staffed again. Foster Care Specialists are trying to get a recruitment team together to help recruit foster homes for the region. Right now Foster Homes are all over capacity and placement for children is difficult at times.

**New Business:** Bernadette Olmos, Attorney for Perry/Spencer County was introduced to the individuals in attendance and welcomed.

**Next Meeting Date, Location and Time:** March 20, 2015 at 8:30am at Memorial Hospital Southside Office

**Meeting adjourned at:** 9:07am